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On February 17, 2009, President Barack Obama signed the “American Recovery and Investment Act” costing approximately \$787 billion over 10 years, according to estimates by the Congressional Budget Office.

While the exact fiscal impact on Los Angeles County is yet to be determined, there may be elements of the Federal Stimulus Program that would require the County’s general fund to support after the federal dollars have ended.

In order to make sure that the County taxpayers will not be burdened with increased costs after the stimulus funding ends, there needs to be an analysis of any ongoing impacts of these programs to the County’s budget.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the County’s Chief Executive Officer to report back in 30 days on:

- 1) The projects proposed in the Federal Stimulus Package and whether these projects will require County funding beyond the initial federal funding provided by the stimulus package.
- 2) Whether any state laws will need to be changed to accept the Federal Stimulus Package dollars.
- 3) Whether the County will be obligated to change any existing program practices, requirements or funding match levels after the stimulus funding ends.

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